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Gentlemen of the City Council:

We are assembled to perfect the organization of the government of our City for the ensuing municipal year. It will be necessary, therefore, to familiarize ourselves with all the duties upon which we may be called to set. A majority of both Boards are now familiar with the duties of their respective offices, having filled the same position last year. Knowing as I do, the newly elected members, I do not hesitate to predict that you will serve the City with equal ability and faithfulness.

FINANCES OF THE CITY.

For a detailed statement of the financial condition of the City, I would refer you to the report of our City Treasurer.

APPROPRIATIONS.

I desire to improve this opportunity, which is here affored me, to recommend that in all the appropriations which you shall find it necessary to make, you will be governed by strict economy, united with a careful regard for the permanent good of the City.

HIGHWAYS.

I presume there will be the usual amount of trouble with our roads this spring, owing to the great depth of frost in them. Belfast has a large number of wooden bridges and many miles of plank sidewalks. At the present price of lumber the appropriation available for this department must be judiciously expended. I think most of our bridges and walks are

in very good condition, with the exception of the iron bridge at the Head of the Tide, which is now ready to be placed in position as soon as the weather will permit.

STATE ROAD.

There has been quite a section of State road constructed on Northport Avenue within the last two years, which I am sure all of our citizens who have occasion to travel over, will readily acknowledge is a great improvement over the old method of road building, and I would recommend an extension of this road the present year.

SCHOOLS.

Under the able management of our Superintendent and excellent teachers, our schools are doing good work. Our educational department is the most important of any for which we have to provide. For this reason, I would recomend that our appropriation for school purposes be as liberal as our circumstances will permit. For a more complete explanation of the condition and needs of our schools, I would refer you to the report of our School Committee.

SEWERS.

The completion of our sewer system is important for the healthfulness of our City, and I would recommend an appropriation for its extension.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

A well equipped and efficient fire department is indispensable to our City for the protection of our property. For further information, I will refer you to the report of the Chief Engineer. He makes several recommendations, which you will carefully consider.

For further information in regard to the several departments, I would refer you to the excellent reports of the Trus-

tees and Librarian of our Free Library, City Solicitor and Trustees of Cemeteries.

I presume you will honestly differ in opinion on some questions, but in all our deliberations, we shall have but one object in view, the welfare of the City of Belfast.

LENDAL T. SHALES.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

City of Belfast,
Treasurer's Office, March 7, 1904.

To the City Council:

Gentlemen:—As required by the city charter I herewith submit my annual report as City Treasurer, showing the receipts and payments for the municipal year ending this day, for administering the city government, for schools, paupers, fire department, highways, free text books, interest on the city debt, and for general municipal purposes; also for payment of State and County taxes, and the condition of the trust funds.

All of which is respectfully submitted for your approval.

City of Belfast in account with James Pattee, City Treasurer.

March 2, 1903.	
Balance, cash in treasury, this date	$ 6,567 78
Rec'd from M. C. Hill, collector for 1902 . .	12,845 25
C. H. Sargent, collector for 1903,	37,180 20
tax sales of 1903 and previous years	409 13
City Solicitor, tax suits of 1903 .	123 46
dividend on B. & M. H. L. R. R. stock	18,611 36
City Clerk, licenses	49 00
" " dog licenses	217 00
R. W. Rogers, police court fees .	131 84
City Marshal, police fees	27 08

board of patients in insane hospital, refunded	$263 17
sale of cemetery lots	480 00
interest on cemetery trust funds,	81 00
State of Maine, railroad and telegraph tax	5,732 02
State of Maine, bank and mill tax,	3,206 94
" " " free High school,	250 00
" " " State pensions .	1,248 00
" " " per cent. allowed from 1902 dog tax	151 79
State of Maine, soldiers' burial .	70 00
" " " amount allowed for State road	200 00
State of Maine, sheep killed by dogs,	79 00
Supt. of Schools, tuition, books sold, etc	77 73
Town of Searsport, help at fires,	136 00
B. &. M. R. R. overcharge for freight on bridge	18 00
	$88,155 75

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid coupons on Memorial Hall bonds for rent,	$ 880 00
Mayor's orders on contingent fund . .	10,344 41
" " " cemetery fund . .	366 70
" " " highway fund . . .	9,476 68
" " " fire department fund,	5,121 65
" " " school funds	13,490 80
" " " free text book fund .	448 09
" " " pauper fund	2,400 00
" " " sewer fund	2,748 66
State pensions	1,248 00
State tax for 1903	7,711 34
County tax for 1903	2,911 63
State of Maine, amount received for dog licenses	217 00

Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank, to pay coupons due May 1, 1903	$2,260 00
Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank, to pay coupons due Aug. 15, 1903	9,540 00
Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank, to pay coupons due Nov. 1, 1903	2,260 00
Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank to pay coupons due Feb. 15, 1904	9,540 00
	$80,964 96
Balance in treasury March 7, 1904	7,190 79
	$88,155 75

CONTINGENT FUND.

Appropriation for 1903	$5,000 00
Rec'd from tax sales of 1903 and previous years	409 13
City Solicitor, tax suits of 1903 .	123 46
City Clerk, licenses	49 00
" " dog licenses	217 00
R. W. Rogers, police court fees,	131 84
City Marshal, police fees . . .	27 08
board of patients at insane hospitals, refunded	363 17
State of Maine, railroad and telegraph tax	5,732 02
State of Maine, State pensions .	1,248 00
" " " per cent. allowed from 1902 dog tax	151 79
State of Maine, soldiers' burial .	70 00
" " " sheep killed by dogs	79 00
free text books fund	51 91
school funds (net)	490 40
unexpended balance in treasury,	1,800 00
	$15,843 80

Paid Mayors orders	$10,344 41
State pensions	1,248 00
State of Maine, amount received for dog licenses	217 00
coupons on Memorial Hall bonds for rent,	880 00
Transferred to highway fund	1,022 68
" " fire department fund	1,431 85
" " sewer fund	248 66
Outstanding orders	9 00
Unexpended	442 20
	$15,843 80

CEMETERY FUND.

Amount unexpended March 2, 1903	$193 07
Rec'd from sale of lots in Grove Cemetery,	450 00
" " sale of lots in Head of Tide Cemetery	30 00
" " interest on cemetery trust funds for care of lots	81 00
	$754 07
Paid Mayor's orders	366 70
Unexpended	387 37
	$754 07

INTEREST ON BONDED DEBT.

Appropriation for 1903	$ 5,000 00
Rec'd dividend on B. & M. H. L. R. R. . .	18,611 36
	$23,611 36
Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank to pay coupons due May 1, 1803	2,260 00
Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank to pay coupons due Aug. 15, 1903	9,540 00
Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank to pay coupons due Nov. 1, 1903	2,260 00

Deposited in Peoples Nat'l Bank to pay coupons due Feb. 15, 1904	$9,540 00
Unexpended	11 36
	$23,611 36

HIGHWAY FUND.

Appropriation for 1903	8,000 00
" " for State road	300 00
Rec'd from State of Maine, amount allowed for State road	200 00
Rec'd from B. & M. R. R. overcharge for freight on bridge	18 00
Rec'd from contingent fund	1,022 68
	$9,540 68
Paid Mayor's orders	9,476 68
Unexpended	64 00
	$9,540 68

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND

Appropriation for 1903	$3,700 00
Rec'd from Town of Searsport for help at fire.	136 00
" " contingent fund	1,431 85
	$5,267 85
Paid Mayor's orders	5,121 65
Outstanding orders	10 20
Unexpended	136 00
	$5,267 85

PAUPER FUND.

Appropriation for 1903	$2,400 00
	$2,400 00
Paid Mayors' orders	2,400 00
	$2,400 00

SCHOOL FUND.

Appropriation for 1903	$10,600 00
Rec'd from State of Maine, bank and mill tax	3,206 94
" " " " " free High school,	250 00
" " " " " Supt. of schools, tuition, books sold, etc.	77 73
	$14,134 67
Paid Mayor's orders	13,490 80
Transferred to contingent fund (net)	490 40
Outstanding orders	153 47
	$14,134 67

FREE TEXT BOOKS FUND.

Appropriation for 1903	$500 00
	$500 00
Paid Mayor's orders	448 09
Transferred to contingent fund	51 91
	$500 00

DISCOUNT ON TAXES

Appropriation for 1903	$1,500 00
	$1,500 00
Discounts allowed by finance committee . .	1,412 95
Unexpended	87 05
	$1,500 00

SEWER FUND.

Appropriation for 1903	2,500 00
Transferred from contingent fund	248 66
	$2,748 66

Paid Mayor's orders	$2,748 66
	$2,748 66

SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

March 2, 1903.

Balance due on assessment of 1894	25 00
" " " " " 1895	12 00
" " " " " 1899	200 00
	237 00

There have been no asessments paid during the year.

TAX ACCOUNT.

March 2, 1903.

Taxes of 1902, balance in hands of M. C. Hill, collector	16,237 99
Taxes of 1902, supplemental commitment to M. C. Hill, collector	52 45
Taxes of 1903, committed to C. H. Sargent, collector	51,833 21
	$68,123 65
Taxes of 1902, received from M. C. Hill, collector	$12,845 25
Error in report of commitment	2,085 30
Amount allowed by City Council	125 13
Abatements as certified by assessors	975 03
Amount in hands of City Solicitor for collection	134 76
Resident taxes returned	29 17
Non-resident taxes returned	95 80
	$16,290 44
Taxes of 1903, received from C. H. Sargent, collector	$37,180 20

Amount allowed by City Council	$573 00
Discounts as certified by finance committee .	1,412 95
Abatements as certified by assessors	243 35
	$39,409 50
March 7, 1904, balance due on 1903 tax . .	12,423 71
	$68,123 65

LIABILITIES.

March 7, 1904,

4 per cent. bonds due in 1925 (option 1905) .	$113,000 00
4 per cent. bonds due in 1918	477,000 00
Outstanding orders	172 67
Roll of accounts No. 12, allowed this day and teachers' pay roll, $4,025.76, $1,097.00 .	5,122 76
	$595,295 53

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury	7,190 79
Due on account of 1903 taxes, C. H. Sargent, collector	12,423 71
500 shares B. & M. H. L. R. R. stock, par value (sinking fund)	500,000 00
Due from State of Maine for soldiers burial, " " " " " " bounty on porcupines	35 00
	6 75
	$519,656 25
Balance of ascertained liabilities	75,639 18
	$595,295 43

LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS.

March 2, 1903.

NATHANIEL WILSON FUND.

	As credited.	Est. value.
80 shares Boston & Maine R. R. stock	$8,000 00	$13,220 00
22 Memorial Hall Association bonds .	22,000 00	22,000 00
Invested in Belfast City 4 per cent. bonds	914 36	923 50
	$30,914 36	836,143 50

P. R. HAZELTINE FUND.

Invested in Belfast City 4 per cent. bonds	$8,585 64	8,671 50
On deposit, Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 10,021, ...	59 36	59 36
	$8,646 00	$8,730 86

GEORGE W. FIELD FUND.

On deposit, Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 12,305, ...	2,000 00	2,000 00

ALBERT BOYD OTIS FUND.

On deposit, Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 12,390, ...	3,000 00	3,000 00
Amount of principal of library funds,	$44,559 36	$49,874 36

There has been no change in these funds during the year.

LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

Rec'd from dividends on B. & M. R. R. stock	$560 00
interest on Memorial Hall bonds	880 00
" " Belfast City bonds	380 00
" " Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 10,021	1 78
interest on Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 11,470	8 56
interest on Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 12,390	96 07
librarian, fines, catalogues sold, etc.	66 04
	$1,992 45
Paid Mayor's orders	$1,832 34
Outstanding orders	13 85
Transferred to accumulated income account	146 26
	$1,992 45

ACCUMULATED INCOME ACCOUNT.

March 2, 1903.	
On deposit, Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 11,470	179 63
Transferred from library account	146 26
	$ 325 89
On deposit, March 7, 1904	325 89
	$ 325 89

GEORGE W. FIELD, INCOME ACCOUNT.

March 2, 1903,	
On deposit Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 12,305	$ 120 00
Received interest on book No. 12,305, . . .	60 00
	$ 180 00
On deposit March 7, 1904	180 00
	$ 180 00

ALBERT BOYD OTIS FUND, INCOME ACCOUNT.

March 2, 1903.	
On deposits Belfast Savings Bank, Book No. 12,390	$ 55 50
Received interest on book No. 12,390 . . .	90 00
	$ 145 50
Transferred to library account	$ 96 07
On deposit March 7, 1904	49 43
	$ 145 50

TRUST FUNDS FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS.

Principal on deposit, Belfast Savings Bank, book No. 9,764, for care of:	
Durham estate lot	$ 158 26

E. H. Herriman lot	$177 50
W. S. Brannagan lot	100 00
C. C. Edmunds lot	100 00
Jane H. Noyes ½ lot	50 00
Josiah Simpson lot	500 00
Abby C. Peirce lot	200 00
Wm. H. Burrill lot	150 00
Bedelia Pendleton ½ lot	50 00
A. B. Otis, S. Nickerson and H. Colburn lots	500 00
John Hodgdon lot	100 00
O. B. Woods and Lucy Woods lots	200 00
Reed lot (East Belfast Cemetery)	50 00
J. W. Knowlton ½ lot	50 00
Rhoda Staples and J. McKeen ½ lot	50 00
Hannah Torrey lot	100 00
J. M. Fletcher lot	150 00
I. E. Collins lot	100 00
E. D. and J. S. Kimball lot	100 00
J. G. Dickerson lot	150 00
James Gammans lot (City Point cemetery) .	200 00
Luther M. Smith lot	50 00
Mercy Rich ½ lot	50 00
Horace T. Dean ½ lot	50 00
Gardner Ludwick lot	125 00
Mrs. C. F. Morison ½ lot	50 00
	$3,560 76
Accumulated interest	209 62
	$3,770 38
Transferred to cemetery fund for care of lots	81 00
On deposit March 7, 1904	$3,689 38

JAS. PATTEE, City Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Belfast:

Gentlemen:

I herewith present my annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the City of Belfast for the fiscal year ending March 7th, 1904.

CONTINGENT EXPENDITURES.

Belfast Gas & Electric Co., street lights . . .	$ 582 24
" " gas City building .	8 75
" " electricity, City building	37 50
Belfast Light & Power Co., street lights . .	1,142 64
" " gas, City building,	9 75
" " electricity, City building	46 52
Bradman, H. C., election clerk	2 00
Bailey, W. J., "	2 00
Brackett & Co., printing	22 79
Burgess, Grace E., printing	40 50
Black, John, police duty	4 00
Belfast Printing Co., printing	3 75
Belfast Fuel & Hay Co., wood and coal . .	59 50
Crosby, J. M., police duty	63 50
Churchill, J. F., cartage	7 00
Clark, Augustus, assigned wages	25 00
Coombs, C. R., certificate of births and deaths,	25
Clifford, Walter J., election clerk, Ward 1 .	2 00
" use of Opera House for ward room	5 00
" labor	75
Coombs, Charles C., election clerk, Ward 2 .	2 00

Cobbett, C. F., election clerk, Ward 3 . . .	$ 2 00
Carr, John, election clerk, Ward 5	2 00
Carrow, E. T. & Co., use of ward room . . .	5 00
Carle & Jones, supplies, city building . . .	1 85
Cooper & Co., supplies	74
Coombs, R. H. & Co., burials	128 00
" use of gas generator,	4 00
" Generator	10 00
Curtis, Geo. E., sheep killed by dogs	25 00
Curtis & Tupper, medicine	26 40
County of Waldo, serving writs, etc	5 03
Dunton, John R., salary, ...	999 96
Darby, Joseph, labor	35 40
Davidson, John S., election clerk, Ward 2 . .	2 00
Dickey, C. G. labor and supplies	3 60
" batteries	1 60
Durham, J. C., screens	1 50
Donham, G. M., Maine Register	2 00
Dolliff, John, services as night watchman . .	3 00
Ellingwood, A. C., certificates of births and deaths	2 75
Eastern Maine Insane Hospital, care of Insane	215 28
East Side Pharmacy Co., supplies, ...	20 50
Fernald, J. F., services at burial, ...	3 00
Frisbee, Geo. W., duties as police	637 25
" " ringing curfew	5 00
Flanders, D. P., certificates of births and deaths	1 50
Fletcher, Chas. L., election clerk Ward 1 .	2 00
Frost, John, election clerk Ward 3	2 00
Farrow, H. P., surveying	2 00
Field & Quimby, insurance	53 55
Gilbreth, F. A., use of ward room	5 00
Gentner, L. L., team hire	9 00
Gray, Fred G., carting and burying dead horse	5 00

Hayes, A. D., election clerk Ward 3	$2 00
Hill, M. C., amt. abated by assessors on com. of 1901	10 68
Howes, A. A. & Co., drugs	51 34
Howard, Sanford, salary inspector of b'ld'gs .	20 00
Hammonds, L. W., certificates of births and deaths	75
Ham, J. C., certificates of births and deaths	50
Hatch, W. G., stabling horse	1 70
Hart, Byron A., witness Flander's fire . . .	1 62
Higgins, Arthur, witness Flander's fire . . .	1 62
Harmon, Everett L., police duty	8 00
Howard, E. Clock Co., clock dials	6 00
Jones, J. W., hardware	2 75
Johnson, Geo. E., salary	30 00
" " legal services	13 00
Johnson, S. W., certificates of births and deaths	2 25
Jackson, A. K., stabling horse	1 50
Kilgore. G. C., certificates of births and deaths	2 25
Keating, Austin W., election clerk Ward 1	2 00
Knowlton, Wayland, election clerk Ward 3	2 00
Knight, Adelbert, election clerk Ward 3 . .	2 00
Kimball, Johh W., election clerk Ward 4 . .	2 00
Lombard, G, P., services on Board of Registration	55 00
Locke & Son, H. J., repairing clock	75
Loring, Short & Harmon, blanks	50
Marriner, H. W., labor on City building . .	21 89
" " " " voting booths . .	1 50
Mason & Hall, supplies	6 95
Mitchell & Trussell, labor and material at City building	7 98
Mayhew, G. F., warden, Ward 4	2 00
Mosher, Ralph H., election clerk Ward 4 . .	2 00
Mansfield, A. P., salary	16 33

Mansfield, A. P. services on Board of registration	$33 00
" recording	8 55
" making voting lists, etc.	30 00
" supplies	1 76
Murch, L. H., salary	63 67
" recording	21 90
McDonald, H. E., extra service	49 75
Maine Insane Hospital, care of insane	357 12
Michaels, E. P., police duty	9 50
Michaels, Hiram, special police	2 00
Moody, R. H., drugs	4 03
McCrillis, G. D., recording tax deeds	16 25
Mathews Bros., lumber	5 20
Nickerson, J. A., police duty	628 25
" ringing curfew	5 00
Nickerson, E. A., stabling horses	1 50
Norton, M. G., service of writs for taxes	13 26
Old Home Week coll	500 00
Overseers of poor, salary	60 00
James Pattee, salary	100 00
" incidentals	4 80
Pearsons, T. N., certificates of births and deaths	1 50
Pattee, Clifford J., election clerk, Ward 1	2 00
Payson, S. A., election clerk, Ward 4	2 00
Pattershall, Fred D., election clerk Ward 5	2 00
Pillsbury Printing Co., E. E., printing	63 00
Poor & Son, Wm., supplies	77 25
Pattee, James & Son, insurance and bonds	166 80
Parker, Frank T., election clerk, Ward 2	2 00
Piper, Ernest, P., 9 sheep killed by dogs	54 00
Perry, I. L., groceries	17 40
Rogers, R. W., salary	600 00
Robbins, L. L., salary	600 00
Republican Journal Pub. Co., advertising	56 00
Russell, George A., warden, Ward 2	2 00
Russ, R. F., election clerk, Ward 4	2 00

Rankin, Elmer, service on board of registration,	$44 00
Staples, B. S., labor	1 50
Stevens, E. L., services as chairman board of health	69 00
" certificates of births and deaths,	1 50
" extra services	2 00
Stevens, John, salary	30 00
" certificates of births and deaths,	4 25
" medicine	32 85
" medical services and vaccination,	340 00
Small, Elmer, salary	150 00
" certificates of births and deaths,	12 00
" consulting with State Board of Health	13 40
Sanborn, W. H., balance of salary	33 00
Smalley, A. D., constable duty	26 25
Sidelinger, Thomas, certificates of births and deaths	25
Smalley, Horace, warden, Ward 3	2 00
" police duty	16 00
Savery, Fred, warden, Ward 5	2 00
Stevenson, Chester B., election clerk, Ward 5,	2 00
Staples, Leroy, election clerk, Ward 5 . . .	2 00
Stevens, S. F., salary as janitor	112 30
" extra labor	9 40
Strout, D. H., stabling horse	2 00
Sanborn, E. M., repairing chairs	1 00
Sheldon, James, taking census, board of registration	105 00
" team hire	15 00
" assessing taxes	400 00
Snow, W. H., cartage	2 10
Sargent, C. H., collecting taxes	340 38
Thayer, W. M., care of and repairing clock,	61 88
Tibbetts, R. R., medical examination	2 00
T. H. M. Post, Memorial Day observance . .	100 00
Tucker, James D., election clerk, Ward 2 .	2 00

Thomas, Wm. H., election Clerk, Ward 1 . .	$2 00
Thurston, Blanche, witness Flanders' fire . .	1 62
Woodcock, M. P. & Son., stationery supplies,	34 36
Woodcock, F. R., salary	75 00
Waterman, C. H., stabling	1 60
West, W. L., salary to date..	29 12
Wilson, E. A., certificates of births and deaths,	2 75
Wentworth, F. T., election clerk, Ward 4 .	2 00
Wilson, J. F., services on board of registration	44 00
Welch, M. W , labor City building	5 05
Waterman, Robert, salary, truant officer . .	60 00
" election clerk, Ward 1 .	2 00
	$10,329 26

CEMETERY EXPENDITURES.

Belfast Water Co., water rates	37 50
Fernald, J. F., commissions	13 75
" " labor in cemetery	204 00
" " care of lots, viz:	
J. Durham	1 50
David Durham	1 50
Edmund Wilson	1 50
E. H. Herriman	3 50
W. S. Brannagan	2 50
C. C. Edmunds	3 00
Jane H. Noyes	1 50
Josiah Simpson	4 00
Abbie C. Pierce	3 00
W. H. Burrill	3 00
Bedelia M. Pendleton . . .	1 50
Samuel Otis, S. Nickerson, Henry Colburn	16 50
John Hodgdon	3 00
Otis B. and Lucy Woods, Reed Lot E. Belfast	6 50

J. W. Knowlton	$ 1 50
Rhoda Staples and J. McKeen	1 50
Hannah Torry	3 00
J. M. Fletcher	3 00
J. E. Collins	2 00
E. D. and J. S. Kimball . .	4 00
J. G. Dickerson	5 00
James Gammans	4 50
Luther Smith	1 00
Mercy Rich	1 00
Horace T. Dean	1 00
Gardner Ludwick	1 00
Howard, Fred, cartage	4 50
Heal & Wood, 3 granite posts	10 00
Jones, J. W., hardware	5 95
Pendleton, Emery O., care of lots and cemetery at E. Belfast	10 00
	$ 366 70
State pensions paid	1,248 00
Dog licenses paid to State	217 00
Coupons on Memorial Hall bonds	880 00
Transferred to highway account	1,022 68
" fire department	1,431 85
" school contingent account . .	10 90
" sewer " . .	248 66
Total including cemeteries,	$15,755 05

CONTINGENT RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	$ 5,000 00
Tax sales from 1902 and previous years . . .	409 13
Licenses from City Clerk	49 00
Dog licenses	217 00
Police Court fines	131 84
Police fees from City Marshal	27 08
Railroad and telegraph tax	5,732 02

Per centage allowed from 1902 dog tax . .	$151 79
Sale of lots in cemeteries	480 00
Interest on cemetery trust funds	81 00
State pensions returned by State	1,248 00
Tax suits of 1902	123 46
Board of insane patients refunded	263 17
Transferred from school funds	501 30
" " free text books	51 91
From State for soldiers burial	70 00
" " " sheep killed by dogs	79 00
Transferred from unexpended balance in treasury	1,800 00
	$ 16,415 70
Balance unexpended,	$ 660 65

HIGHWAY EXPENDITURES.

Arnold, W., gravel	$ 4 16
Ayer, C. W., gravel	12 00
Baker, Isaac, labor	1 65
Black, H. A., labor, district No. 13	7 90
Belfast Water Co., labor and supplies	29 95
Blake, Thurston, ferrying, Upper Bridge . .	45 32
Bowen, A. F., labor, district No. 1	6 50
Black, John, labor, central district	208 05
Bowen, C. H., labor, district No 1	88 32
Babbidge, H. A., labor	100 50
Brown, Henry, labor central district	90
Black, Caroline F., labor and material . . .	3 75
Baker, Fred, labor	64 95
Burns, Arthur, labor on bridge	18 00
Bennett, H. M., labor on bridge	209 92
Beach, A., labor on bridge	80 62
Brier, G., labor on bridge	70 87
Bowen, C. W., labor, district No. 1	2 13
Crosby, J. M., labor, district No. 15	91 88

Clark, Augustus, labor, central district . . .	$ 25
Carle & Jones, supplies	5 25
Cottrell, C. Y., labor	12 00
Clark, Santa, labor	4 50
Cooper & Co., material	1,478 81
Clark, Frank, labor central district	147 88
Clark, G., labor on bridge	132 12
Cunningham, R. E., labor, district No. 7 . .	17 35
Dunbar, W. E., tending bridge and draw . .	25 00
Dunbar and Robbins, labor at draw bridge .	3 00
Dunton, Mr., gravel	35
Elms, I. H., labor, district No. 3	204 29
Emmons C., labor on bridge	7 13
Emmons, Ralph, labor on bridge	40 50
Emmons, C., labor on bridge	7 50
Farrow, H. P., service on purchase of iron bridge	6 00
Furbush, Harry, labor	1 15
Gilchrist, George, labor	8 45
Gray, Wallace W., one derrick	85 00
Gray, E., labor on bridge	28 87
Hill, M. C., assigned wages	12 50
Howard, Fred, labor, central district	278 00
Holmes, F. A., material and labor	362 63
Hopkins, F. J., labor central district	5 25
Holmes, Eben, labor, Upper Bridge	6 00
Haney, Willis, labor	19 80
Havner, J. L., labor	1 50
Havner, C. G., labor on bridge	20 30
Hart, Byron A., labor on bridge	49 13
Jones, J. W., hardware for bridge and roads	90 74
Jones, Fred, gravel	3 30
Knowlton, Chas., gravel	97 70
Limeburner, F. W., material and labor . . .	1 40
Ladd, D., labor	23 95
M. C. R. R. Co., freight on bridge	117 00
Mathews, Geo. A., labor	4 2

Mason & Hall, hardware	$85 97
Mitchell & Trussell, labor and material . . .	32 70
Mayhew, G. F., labor, district No. 7	307 07
McIntosh, W. H., assigned wages	302 61
Miller, F. E., labor	169 38
McKeen, J. A., labor	13 10
Mudgett, A. J., labor with machine and team,	234 70
Miller, W. F., labor, central district	36 00
Moody, Nine, labor	75
McIntyre, C. E., repairing road machine . .	80
Mason, H. F., Labor, district No. 13	292 47
Merriam, E. C., labor and hardware	9 00
Merrill, W W., "	8 75
N. Y. C. & H. R. R., bridge	310 00
Philbrook, S. V., labor district No. 5	249 23
Phinney, H. W. labor district No. 10 . . .	14 35
Piper, N. S., labor district No. 11	224 10
Perkins, J. M., labor	27 00
Patterson, W. S., "	6 75
Proctor, Morris G., "	37 80
Richards, Ora, " district No. 14 . . .	9 73
Robbins, L. L., storing road machine	2 00
" sundry supplies	4 66
" cash paid laborers	138 85
Russ, R. F., labor and supplies district No. 6,	216 08
Redman, P. B., labor	2 55
Richards, S. K., " district No. 14	149 58
Reed, Willis, rocks	5 00
Roberts, E. J., labor	17 00
Shaw, Maurice P. " district No. 8	270 05
Staples, B. S., " " 9	3 68
Savery, Fred N., " " 12	428 82
Staples, Leroy, " " 10	129 34
Stevens, Ansel F., "	23 40
Stevens, Frank J., "	19 50
Stevens, Alvah, "	5 25
Sanborn, J. M., " central district	239 60

Sargent, C. H., assigned wages	$ 12 50
Staples, Isaac, labor with team	109 20
Townsend, J. C., labor district No. 2	254 93
Toothaker, F. L., " 5	329 48
Tyler, Joseph, blacksmithing	37 60
Thomas, Martin, labor	9 75
Thorndike, Jesse, "	23 70
Whitcomb, W. F., " district No. 9 and bridge,	244 59
White, J. T., storage	5 50
West, Frank, labor	4 50
Whitcomb, Levi, labor on bridge	11 00
	$9,476 68

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	$8,000 05
Allowance from State for building State road,	300 00
Rec'd from State for State road	200 00
" B. &. M. R. R., overcharge on freight	18 00
" contingent fund	1,022 68
	$9,540 68
Balance unexpended	$64 00

GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES.

EXPENDITURES.

Adams, Mrs. Samuel, salary, teacher . . .	$ 264 69
Barr, Annie L., salary, teacher	164 00
Bird, Bertha I., salary, teacher	364 29
Brown, Jane, salary, teacher	238 00
Barr, Ethel, salary, teacher	213 69
Bennett, Mrs. W. A., transportation	119 00
Babb & Co., Eder E., supplies	36 25
Burton, A. M., supplies	4 00
Brown, John M., janitor	10 55
Bird, Helen M., salary teacher	60 00

Belfast Fuel & Hay Co., wood and coal . . .	$242 10
Bradley, Milton supplies	2 40
Chaples Annie L., salary, teacher	119 00
Chamberlain, Chas. H., transportation . . .	272 00
Dunton, John R., paid janitor	3 00
Dyer, Rufus, fuel	10 00
Ellis, Herbert E., salary, teacher	777 15
Eagle Pencil Co., supplies	12 00
Eaton, H. R., salary, teacher	800 01
Field, Caroline, salary, teacher	485 72
Folsom, Ella M., salary, teacher	340 00
Follett, Maude, salary, teacher	291 43
Franklin Labratory Supply Co., supplies . .	1 25
Gray, Justin A., janitor	1 50
Gentner, L. L., transportation	272 00
Grotton, Lawrence, janitor	9 95
Howard, W. R., salary, teacher	171 42
Hall, Lizzie S., salary, teacher	340 00
Hayes, A. D., salary, teacher	340 00
Hayford Ralph, transportation	204 00
Hayford, Ralph, fuel	20 00
Herrick, Reuben, transportation	136 00
Holmes, Geo. O., fuel, ...	5 75
Howes, A. A. & Co., supplies	17 88
Hart, George, janitor	7 75
Heath, D. C. & Co., supplies	55 00
Hamnett, J. L. & Co., supplies	5 16
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., supplies	38 25
Kimball, Harriet A., salary, teacher	264 69
Kimball, Harriet A., janitor	3 10
Knowlton, Maude L., salary, teacher	119 00
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, supplies	52 44
Knott Apparatus Co., L. E. supplies	4 93
Lord, Grace A., salary, teacher	412 86
Larrabee, Victor, janitor	3 50
Mason, Mary H., salary, teacher	182 22
Mayhew, Lulu, salary, teacher	119 00

Marriner, H. W., janitor	$600 00
McDowell, Abbie, salary, teacher	8 40
Michaels, Alton, janitor	4 50
Mason, H. F., fuel and labor	78 35
Merriam, E. C., fuel	3 00
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	2 80
Mixer, F. G., supplies	21 12
Oberhallzen, Mrs. S. L., supplies	10 50
Pitcher, Mrs. E. S., salary, teacher	374 00
Roberts, Ida F., salary, teacher	291 43
Rackliffe Colby, salary, teacher	42 00
Robbins, Leland janitor	4 20
Redman, P. B., transportation	85 00
Roberts, Wellington, janitor	12 10
Rumford Supply Co., supplies	1 08
Spinney, Lillian C., salary, teacher	238 00
Shorey, Maud, salary, teacher	119 00
Swan & Sibley, fuel	256 90
Townsend, Ellen D., salary, teacher	485 72
Towle, Isabel, salary, teacher	238 00
Townsend, J. C., transportation	272 00
The Holden Pat. Book Cover Co., supplies .	4 50
Wadsworth, Alberta, salary, teacher	291 43
Wiggin, J. A,, salary, teacher	374 00
Walton, Grace E., salary, teacher	340 00
Woodbury, Mamie, salary, teacher	238 00
Woodbury, Mamie, janitor	8 75
Woodcock, M. P. & Son, supplies	21 20
Woods, S. S., transportation	238 00
Wentworth, F. T., fuel	10 00
Whitcomb, Eben, janitor	3 00
Wilson, Ethel, salary, teacher	119 00
Wood, Mrs. Caroline, salary, teacher	119 00
Whitcomb, Frank A., transportation	55 00
	$12,586 91
Transferred to contingent fund	$215 17

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	$7,500 00
" for Free High School	2,000 00
Bank and mill tax	3,206 94
Tuition	77 73
State allowance for Free High School . . .	250 00
	$13,034 67

SCHOOL CONTINGENT.

EXPENDITURES.

American Express Co., express	$23 05
Belfast Light & Power Co., gas	10 25
Brackett & Co., printing	14 25
Burgess, Grace E., paper and printing . . .	7 95
Clifford, Walter J., use of Opera House . .	15 00
" coupon tickets	1 00
Collins, Michael, shoveling snow, labor . . .	8 00
Carle & Jones, supplies	4 04
Coombs, Edna, care of school house	5 25
Chase & Doak, clock	1 00
Chase, A. D. & Son, supplies	3 57
Dunton, John R., incidentals	15 89
Danforth, Austin, shoveling snow	8 00
Ginn & Field, supplies	3 80
Howard, W. R., boiler and oil heater for school,	12 00
Hayford, True, labor on school house . . .	5 45
Howes, A. A. & Co., supplies	8 66
Hart, Mrs. L. H., cleaning	1 00
Howes, J. H., supplies	6 67
Johnson, Fred, supplies	87
Knowlton & Co., D. H, certificates	3 00
Lord, N. S. & Co., supplies	2 50
Langill Printing Co., W. F., printing . . .	9 20
Marriner, H. W., labor	3 00
Mitchell & Trussell, material	1 12
McDonald, H. E., supplies	23 90

Michaels, Geo. E., labor	$5 45
Merriam, E. C., labor	9 65
New England Seal & Stamp Co., supplies .	12 15
Pillsbury Printing Co., E. E., printing . . .	16 95
Roberts, Lawrence, labor	50
Rumford Supply Co., paper	1 08
Shuman, E. S., carting and freight	9 53
Swift, W. A. Jr., shoes for scholars	24 54
Stephenson M. & Shute V., care of schoolhouse,	5 25
Sanborn, Percy A., labor	3 00
Whitehead, Elmer S., carting	24 38
	$ 310 90

SCHOOL CONTINGENT RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	300 00
Transferred from contingent	10 90
	$310 90

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE ON SCHOOL HOUSES.

EXPENDITURES.

Blodgett, Alvin, labor	$ 2 25
Burgess, A. C., hardware	5 73
Carle & Jones, paper and shades	5 84
Dickey, C. J., supplies and labor	1 90
Field & Quimby, insurance	48 48
Hall, C. B., door and hardware	2 32
Jones, J. W., supplies	14 66
Mason & Hall, hardware, ...	41 84
Mitchell & Trussell, material and labor . . .	51 43
Michaels, Geo. E., labor	34 73
Merriam, E. C., labor and nails	3 75
Mathews, Bros., lumber	13 70
Poor, J. H., labor	2 50
Pattee, James & Son, insurance	9 00
Read, George T., mdse. and labor	5 80

Woodcock, M. P. & Son, supplies	$ 5 80
Wood, James W., labor	1 65
Wright & Hall, material and repairs	50 07
Wood, Eugene, labor and stock	1 00
	$302 45
Transferred to contingent fund	47 55

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	$ 350 00

FREE TEXT BOOKS.

EXPENDITURES.

American Book Co.,	books	$ 100 16
Babb & Co., Edward E.	"	64 54
Educational Pub. Co.,	"	5 84
Ginn & Co.,	"	81 23
Heath & Co., D. C.	"	7 47
Harrison, Wm. B.,	"	19 44
Holt, Henry & Co.,	"	7 50
Maynard, Merrill & Co.,	"	30 00
Rand, McNally & Co.,	"	17 28
Robinson, A. C.,	"	5 80
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	"	98 48
Scribner Sons, Chas.,	"	10 35
		$ 448 09
Transferred to contingent		$ 51 91

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	$ 500 00

PERMANENT REPAIRS ON SCHOOL HOUSES.

EXPENDITURES.

Cooper & Co., supplies	$ 40 77
Emmons, C. J., labor	33 30

Holmes, F. A., lumber	$19 16
Ladd, H. B., labor	29 75
Merriam, E. C., labor	41 30
Merriam & Son, E., lumber	47 14
	$ 211 42
Transferred to contingent fund	238 58

BECEIPTS.

Appropriation	450 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

EXPENDITURES.

Belfast Water Co, hydrant rental	$2,305 00
Bray, W. H., labor and material	8 42
" salary	6 25
Burgess, Grace E., printing	1 25
Belfast Hook & Ladder Co., salary and labor,	320 13
Belfast Livery Co., team hire	40 25
Belfast Fuel & Hay Co., fuel	51 50
Burgess, J. W., labor with team	8 15
Burgess, A. C., thermometer	25
Clough, I. T., salary and labor	288 73
Cook, E. L., salary	15 00
Churchill, J. F., carting	1 50
Coombs, F. S., carting	1 00
Dickey, C. G., labor and supplies	172 84
Decrow, W. E., fire alarm signal boxes . . .	150 00
" material	60 93
Eureka Fire Hose Co., supplies	254 72
Edminister, W. S., carting	30 00
Frisbee, S. G., food	6 10
Field & Quimby, insurance	7 00
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., alarm box . . .	40 00
Gentner, L. L.. team hire and cartage	92 50
Ginn & Field, supplies	4 36

Howes, A. A. & Co., supplies	$10 99
Jones, J. W., hardware	14 65
Lord, N. S. & Co., wicking	30
Mathews, Geo. A., repairs	27 00
Mason & Hall, hardware	19 40
Mitchell & Trussell, supplies	11 30
McDonald, labor on hose	4 25
Poor & Son, Wm O., chemicals	90
Pillsbury Printing Co., E. E., printing . . .	3 95
Peavey, Guy L., carting	3 00
Shaw, Maurice P., carting and service . . .	6 50
Smalley, Horace D., carting and labor . . .	18 40
Seaside Hose Co., salary	374 50
Staples, W. H., carting	12 00
Shuman, E. S., carting	5 00
Swift, W. A., Jr., repairing coat	75
Stephenson, F. J., labor and repairs	11 00
Smalley, Fred, shingles & labor	2 60
Spencer & Eaton, chairs	6 00
Tyler, Joseph, repairs on carts	21 00
Wiley, A. W, salary, 2nd asst engineer . . .	7 50
Washington Hose Co., salary and extra labor,	645 75
	$5,112 62

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	3,700,00
Rec'd from Searsport for help at fires . . .	136 00
Transferred from contingent fund	1,431 85
	$5,267 85
Balance unexpended	$155 23

SEWERS.

EXPENDITURES.

Belfast Water Co., flushing sewer	3 34
Cottrell, I. M., construction	2,581 00

Farrow, H. P., labor	46 32
Haugh, Thomas, labor assigned by D. N. Bird,	118 00
	$2,748 66

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	2,500 00
Transferred from contingent fund	248 66

FREE LIBRARY EXPENDITURES.

Barr, Annie L., salary	$199 97
Boston Book Binding Co., binding books . .	18 80
Belfast Light and Power Co., lighting . . .	52 59
Belfast Printing Co., printing	18 95
Belfast Fuel and Hay Co., fuel	59 00
Bowker, R. R., annual index library	3 50
Barnard & Co., F. J., books	64 14
Belfast Book Co., books	8 85
Cumulative Index Co., books	2 50
Cochrane, Lucy A., books	7 00
Cottrell, S. G., labor and hardware	3 62
Darby, Joseph, salary, janitor	160 95
Danforth, Austin, shoveling	6 00
Dennison Tag Manufacturing Co., supplies .	7 48
Durham, J. C., supplies	6 54
Essex Pub. Co., books	6 00
Farquar, David, books	14 53
Field & Quimby, insurance	41 50
Gentner, L. L., sprinkling street	5 00
Howes, A. A. & Co., drugs	1 80
Hammond Typewriter Co., repairs	5 15
Hub Magazine Co., magazines	26 00
Harper & Brothers, books	42 75
Hamilton, W. E., plants	1 75
Hicks, H. W,, books	5 00
Lauriat & Co., C. E., books	318 69

Logan & Son, T. P., trucking	$ 3 25
Library Art Club, membership fees	5 00
Librarian of Congress, printed cards	5 00
Mason & Hall, hardware	14 07
Morris & Co., John D., 1 set of Tissot . . .	18 05
Mellen, John J., care of lawn	6 65
McLean & Co., S. F., books	21 12
North River Bindery, books	2 50
Pond, E. M., salary, ...	470 20
Pattee & Son, James, insurance	9 00
Phil. Book Store Co., books	11 65
Robinson, A. C., books	5 80
Staples, W. H., 2 loads of earth	2 00
Swan & Sibley, fuel	35 50
Twentieth Century Club, books	30 20
The Union Library Ass'n books	28 96
Woodcock, M. P. & Son, magazines	84 68
Wiley, C. A., mowing lawn	3 00
Williams, H., books	1 50
	$ 1,846 19

RECEIPTS.

Dividends, B. & M. R. R. stock	$ 560 00
Interest on Memorial Hall bonds	880 00
" " Belfast City bonds	380 00
" " Savings bank book No. 10,021 .	1 78
" " " " " " 11,470 .	8 56
Fines and catalogues	66 04
Otis fund	96 07
	$1,992 45
Carried to reserve fund	$146 26

PAUPER EXPENDITURES.

Wight, James P., sup ort	$2,400 00

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	$2,400 00

INTEREST ON BONDED DEBT.

Deposited to meet coupons May 1	$2,260 00
" " " Aug. 15	9,540 00
" " " Nov. 1	2,260 00
" " " Feb. 15	9,540 00
	$23,600 00

RECEIPTS.

Appropriations	5,000 00
B. & M. L. R. R., dividends	18,611 36
	$23,611 36
Unexpended	$11 36

DISCOUNT ON TAXES.

Allowed to collector	$1,412 95
Appropriated	1,500 00
Unexpended	87 05
State tax	$7,711 34
County Tax	$2,911 63

FRED D. JONES,

AUDITOR.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

1903-1904.

MEMBERS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

WARD.		RESIDENCE.	TERM EXPIRES.
1.	JAMES H. HOWES,	2 Northport Ave.	1904
	GEORGE S. MILLS,	High St.	1905
2.	CHAS. S. BICKFORD,	Cedar St.	1904
	CHAS. H. TWOMBLY,	Court St.	1905
3.	WILLIAM A. MASON,	Waldo Ave.	1904
	W. L. HALL,	Primrose Hill.	1905
4.	J. F. SHELDON,	Poor's Mills.	1904
	ELI C. MERRIAM,	Head of Tide.	1905
5.	THOMAS L. SHUTE,	East Belfast.	1904
	GEO. E. MICHAELS,	East Belfast.	1905

Organization.

STANDING COMMITTEE.

Text Rooks, Appliances and Course of Study.—Messrs. Twombly, Hall and Bickford.

Examination and Certification of Teachers.—Messrs. Howes, Merriam and Mills.

Rules and Regulations.—Messrs. Mason, Shute and Michaels.

DR. ELMER SMALL, President *ex-officio*, Miller St.

CHARLES S. BICKFORD, Chairman, Cedar St.

JOHN R. DUNTON, Secretary and Superintendent, Congress St.

ROBERT WATERMAN, Truant Officer, Charles St.

REGULAR MEETING, last Monday of each month at 7 P. M.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1903-1904.

Sept. 14, 1903—Fall term opened.

THANKSGIVING RECESS—Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 26, 27 and 28.

Dec. 18, 1903—Fall term closed.

Jan. 11, 1904—Winter term opened.

Feb. 22—Washington's Birthday.

March 18, 1904—Winter term closed.

April 4, 1904—Spring term opened.

HOLIDAYS—Fast Day and Memorial Day.

June 17, 1904—Spring term closed.

SIGNALS FOR NO SCHOOL.

Three long blasts of the Dana whistle, three times, at 7.30 A. M. for no forenoon session, and at 12.15 P. M. for no afternoon session.

LIST OF TEACHERS.

NAME.	SCHOOL.	SALARY PER YEAR.	RESIDENCE	SALARY, PER WEEK.
H, R. Eaton, Prin.,	High	$1,000	Church St.	
Caroline W. Field,	Asst. High	500	Primrose Hill	
Ellen D. Townsend,	Asst. High	500	Church St.	
Annie L. Barr,	Asst. High		Church St.	$5.00

Herbert E. Ellis, Prin. Gram.	800	Primrose Hill	
Grace A. Lord, Gr. VIII.	425	Park St.	
Bertha I. Bird, Gr. VII.	375	Congress St.	
Ethel G. Barr, Gr. VI.	300	Cedar St.	
Lizzie S. Hall, Gr. V, Cent. Int.	350	Court St.	
Ella M. Folsom, Gr. IV. Cent. Int.	350	Belmont Avenue	
J. A. Wiggin, Gr. IV. So. Prim.	385	Main St.	
Alberta Wadsworth, Gr. III. So. Prim.	300	Belmont Ave.	
Mrs. Samuel Adams, Gr. II. So. Prim.	300	Belmont Ave.	
Maude Follett, Gr. I. So. Prim.	300	Cedar St.	
Grace E. Walton, Gr. III. No. Prim.	350	Lincolnville Ave	
Harriet A. Kimball, Gr. II. No, Prim.	300	Head of Tide	
Ida F. Roberts, Gr. I. No. Prim.	300	Church St.	
Isabelle Towle, H. of T. Gram.		East Belfast	7.00
Jane Brown, H. of T. Prim.		Head of Tide	7.00
A. D. Hayes, Brick Gram.		Upper High St.	10.00
Lillian C. Spinney, Brick Prim.		Congress St.	7.00
Mamie Woodbury, White,		Mason's Mills	7.00
Maude Shorey, City Point,		City Point	7.00
Mrs. Carrie Wood, Hayford,		Poor's Mills	7.00
Ethel Wilson, Poor's Mills,		Poor's Mills	7.00
Mrs. E. S. Pitcher, Music,	385	Congress St.	
Helen Bird, Asst. VI. and VII. Grades.		Congress St.	4.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1904.

APPROPRIATIONS AND RECEIPTS.

GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES.

From city	$ 7,500 00
Mill tax	3,206 94
Tuition, etc., ...	77 73
Total,	$10,784 67
Free text books	$ 500 00
School contingent	300 00
Repairs and insurance	350 00

Permanent repairs		$450 00
Free High school	$2,000 00	
State aid	250 00	
Total,		$2,250 00
Total appropriations and receipts,		$14,634 67

EXPENDITURES.

General School Purposes.

Janitor	$ 671 90
Fuel	626 10
Supplies	252 51
Salaries	7,238 28
Transportation	1,653 00
Total,	$10,441 79
Free text books	486 34
School contingent	310 90
Repairs and insurance	302 45
Permanent repairs	211 42
Free High school	2,106 87
Total expenditures,	$13,859 77
Balance unexpended,	774 90
	$14,634 67

ESTIMATES FOR APPROPRIATIONS.

To the Board of Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

Gentlemen:—

We herewith submit estimates for appropriations needed in the School Department, for the ensuing fiscal year, ending March 1, 1905, as follows:—

General school purposes	$ 8,000 00
School contingent	350 00
Repairs and insurance	450 00
Permanent repairs	500 00
Free High School	2,200 00
Free text books	650 00
Total,	$ 12,150 00

JAS. F. SHELDON,
WM. L. HALL,
ELI C. MERRIAM,
} Committee on Estimates for Appropriation.

COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

Belfast, Maine, Feb'y 29, 1904.

To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Belfast :—

In submitting its annual report, the School Committee has to record the most interrupted school year it has ever experienced, yet it feels that good work had been done. The prevalence of scarlet fever and whooping cough, with the precautionary measures against the spread of varioloid, interrupted the work of the schools, but by strict enforcement of the requirements of the Board of Health, the further spread of the diseases was prevented and the troubles minimized.

At the close of the last fiscal year, the School Committee was brought face to face with one of the hardest propositions it has ever been called to solve. In the spring term Mr. Howard, who, as chairman or member of the Committee and teacher, had been connected with the schools for ten years, and who had done much to promote their efficiency, resigned his position as Principal of the High School. It was a repetition of the old, old, story ; another place could pay more salary than we could afford. We desire to record here our appreciation of the fact that in all these different positions, Mr. Howard labored long, hard and well for our schools.

We felicitate ourselves that we were able to secure at once a successor under whose administration the work of the school was kept rigidly up to the former standard and that the school was never more efficient than now.

The sanitary arrangements at the North Primary will have to be remedied this year and the estimates for the ensu-

ing year provides for the construction of a water closet and connection with the sewer. There is need of another room at that house and the Grammar school house should be shingled, but in view of the financial condition of the city, no plans have been made for doing the work this year.

Your attention is once more called most emphatically to the necessity of making some move toward the better housing of the pupils in the central schools. That this is no new need is shown by the fact that more than thirty years ago, the late Judge Williamson wrote in his History of Belfast: "The accommodations for instruction in the central district are entirely inadequate to public requirements." If this was true then, the necessity for better provision must be much more imperative now. The buildings are antiquated, ill-adapted to their purpose and impossible of remodelling. There is not a school in the old Central District that is adaquately or suitably housed. The only public school house ever built in the old Central District is now the Grammar School and was built in 1828. The High School building is merely an adaptation of the old Town House, built in 1824; none of it was bnilt for school purposes and at best it was but a temporary makeshift. The North Primary, sixty years old, is but a transmogrified vestry, and the South Primary, about the same age, was never intended to accommodate so many pupils and outlived its usefulness years ago.

When one thinks what progress has been made in school house construction since these buildings were erected, and considers what the modern requirements are acknowledged to be, the question must inevitably come bome: Can not some steps be taken that shall furnish in the near future sehool rooms of the size and character called for by modern hygienic knowledge.

Each successive year since the establishment of the School Committee, attention has been called to this need and each year the appeal has been dismissed with the soothing statement that a new building must be erected "when the city can

afford it." It is respectfully but firmly submitted that this answer has served long enough. It has ceased to be an inquiry of "When?" and become a burning problem of "How?"

For details of the year's work, and estimates for the ensuing year, you are respectfully referred to the accompanying reports.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. S. BICKFORD,

Chairman School Com.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the President and Members of the School Committee of the City of Belfast.

Gentlemen:—

In submitting this my fourth and last annual report, permit me to say that in my opinion our schools are progressing towards a fuller realization of the purposes for which they are maintained. They are in a greater measure endeavoring to develop the child's natural powers as well as to equip him with useful knowledge.

As the school is only one of the agencies of education, it has a limited jurisdiction and should recognize its limitations. It certainly should first aim to do thoroughly its own legitimate work. It should not neglect intellectual culture and the real knowledge incident thereto, for the trick of appearing to know without knowing.

The school by means of school subjects, should teach the child to do skillfully the mental acts necessary to be performed in learning the knowledge in books and the knowledge of life out of school. The school should not be regarded as a repository of knowledge so much as a place of apprenticeship where boys and girls may learn how to do the mental acts whereby all knowledge may be acquired and applied.

Without going into details of Psychology, permit me to say that the mind learns how to do things as definitely as the hand learns how to do things and that the only way for either to learn how to do things is by doing them. Mental doing is

hidden from the physical eye, but it is nevertheless susceptible of inspection and its knowledge products are also susceptible of inspection. Apprentice work of hand or mind is preparatory and the knowledge products of youth are of value chiefly as food to be assimilated by the mind and then transformed into mental tissue. Most of the intellectual knowledge learned in childhood is put away with other childish things before the child becomes a man, but the mental power developed in the learning is as enduring as the mind itself.

Introspection on the part of the pupil is neither necessary nor desirable; he should simply be conscious of the ideas he is using and learn to use them purposefully; but introspection on the part of the teacher is a condition precedent to rightly directing the mental work of the pupil. She should be as familiar with the kind of mental action required to master each detail of a given subject as she is supposed to be with the knowledge of the subject itself.

In some pupils the tendency to do the appropriate mental action is so strong that they need only the stimulus of an assignment of work. In others this tendency is so weak that it amounts to hardly more than a capacity for learning how to learn, and such must be directed step by step till they know how to do without any teaching. This being so, it follows that the slower and less intelligent pupils should have the more of the teacher's time and attention.

The pupil in school is no less an individual than he is in society at large. His knowledge is individual, his ignorance is individual and his mental ability is individual; he makes his way alone no matter how many travel the same road with him. His individuality should be recognized and respected. A class is only a group of pupils for convenience of teaching them and the unit of the class is the individual. Whether one or twenty occupy the recitation seats the teacher should know the individual needs and adapt her instruction to individual ends. Whatever objection may be raised against individual instruction on account of inconvenience and lack of time, and what-

ever authority may be called as a witness for observance of the time honored custom of educating by squads and platoons, the fact remains that the individual comes to school in the morning, goes home at night, eats, sleeps, thinks, enjoys and suffers as John Smith or James Brown and not as a twentieth part of his class in school.

The younger the pupil the greater the need of individual direction, the older the pupil and the higher the grade the larger place class instruction may safely occupy, but it is a rare class in which no one needs individual direction. Exclusive class instruction at its worst makes the individual little better than a fraction and at its best it leaves many stranded in shallows and on flats. I agree that class instruction has its uses but I submit that it is inadequate and that individual instruction should at least supplement its manifest incompleteness.

I wish to say of our schools that we are increasingly adapting them to individual needs in this respect and instruction in our primary schools is largely individual, notwithstanding that we group the pupils in small classes for convenience and economy of time. Our High School is in my opinion one of the best of its kind anywhere to be found, but it falls short of what it might become if its teachers had time to do individual work with those whose needs require it. I would recommend that Miss Barr, who now teaches until recess, be employed for the full length of the school session, in order that the teachers, whose time is now unavoidably occupied in class work, may have opportunity to do more individual work.

Below the sixth grade our classes are small enough, but because our sixth and seventh grades are so large the results there fall short of what we desire notwithstanding that the teachers labor faithfully and well.

We are in need of another room for the suitable acommodation of our fourth grade at the North Primary. Last year, on account of the small number in each of the two fourth grades we were enabled to consolidate them in the fourth grade room at the South Primary. The coming year we must

have two fourth grade classes and if a room is not supplied for that purpose, we shall be obliged to place the third and fourth grades together in Miss Walton's room or consolidate the two fifth grades and use one of the fifth grade rooms for a fourth grade as we are doing this year. I trust that our people recognize the need of a new school building large enough to accommodate our schools and that action will be taken for supplying this need as soon as possible.

Expenditures for text books can of course be curtailed to keep within the appropriation therefor even to the extent of retarding the progress of our pupils and rendering unprofitable the large expenditure for salaries, fuel and other expenses incident to keeping the schools open. Last year in order to avoid over-drawing our total school appropriations we turned into the treasury an unexpended balance of three hundred dollars from the text book appropriation of eight hundred dollars. This year an appropriation of only five hundred dollars was made. We have kept our expenditures within the appropriation but have not bought all the books we needed. In my opinion it is false economy to appropriate less than eight hundred dollars for text books until our schools are supplied with sufficient text and reference books.

The repairs upon the City Point School building begun last year were completed during the summer vacation, and the school houses at the Head of the Tide and Poor's Mills were shingled. Certain minor repairs were made on some of our other school buildings.

The two furnaces at the North Primary School inadequately heat the building. If one suitable furnace were substituted, enough could be saved on fuel in a comparatively short time to pay the expense of making the change. I recommend that the matter be investigated and such action taken as may seem best. I also recommend that the North Primary nuisance be abated by connecting with the sewer and putting in water closets.

Since my last report the following changes in teachers

have taken place. At the close of the winter term Mr. Howard resigned his position as principal of the High School. His work there cannot be too highly commended and his going was felt to be an irreparable loss to the school and community. We were fortunate however, in securing Mr. Eaton to succeed Mr. Howard, and much to the satisfaction of all concerned the progress of the school towards a higher efficiency has continued uninterruptedly under Mr. Eaton's able management.

At the close of the summer term Miss Mason who had for several years successfully taught the seventh grade grammar resigned to accept a more lucrative position in Bridgton, Maine, and the vacancy caused by her resignation was filled by transferring Miss Bertha I. Bird from sixth to seventh grade and electing Miss Ethel Barr to the sixth grade position vacated by Miss Bird's promotion.

Miss Annie Chaples whose faithful service in the second grade North Primary, I desire here to acknowledge, resigned during the summer vacation and Miss Harriet Kimball, teacher of the City Point School was promoted to the position occasioned by Miss Chaples' resignation. Miss Maude Shorey was elected as teacher of the City Point School to succeed Miss Kimball.

Miss Lulu Mayhew, teacher of the Hayford School and Miss Maude Knowlton, teaaher of the Poors' Mills School, both faithful teachers, resigned during the summer vacation. Miss Ethel Wilson was elected as teacher of the Poor's Mills School and Mrs. Carrie Wood was elected teacher of the Hayford School.

At the close of the winter term, 1903, Mr. Colby Rackliff teacher of the Pitcher School resigned his position, after which the Pitcher School was discontinued and the children transported to the Hayford School.

After the beginning of the fall term, Miss Helen Bird was employed as assistant in sixth and seventh grades to succeed Miss Ethel Barr,who was elected teacher of the sixth grade.

I respectfully call your attention to the report of the Prin-

cipal of the High School and the report of the Supervisor of Music submitted herewith.

As I shall not be a candidate for re-election, permit me at this time to say that I feel deeply grateful to the people of Belfast for the kind and considerate treatment that I have always received at their hands. I appreciate their cordial co-operation, not only during my term of service as Superintendent, but also during those other terms of service years ago when as Principal of the Grammar School and later as Principal of the High School I came to know them and esteem them as my neighbors and friends.

I wish to thank all the pupils past and present that have been under my direction and especially the High School pupils, for their courtesy and kindness which has in no small degree helped to make my school work in Belfast a pleasure to myself and I trust of some profit to them.

To the teachers also I wish to express somewhat of the personal friendship which I feel for them and which I am proud to believe is mutual. They have been loyal to me as Superintendent and loyal to their schools best interest. I cannot speak too highly of their devotion to duty and their endeavors to make the results of their labor worthy of approval.

I thank you, Gentlemen of the School Committee, for your continued confidence and support on which I have always relied and never found wanting. The uniform courtesy and good will of yourselves and your predecessors in all your relations with me during my term of service as Superintendent of Schools is I assure you fully appreciated and will be held in grateful rememberance by me.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. DUNTON,

Sup't Schools.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT.

Mr. John R. Dunton, Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir: —

According to the usual custom, I hereby present my annual report as Principal of Belfast High School. The loss in numbers by the graduation of the class of 1903 was more than offset by the entering class last fall with the result that the total number enrolled is much larger than at the same time last year. The school now consists of 116 pupils. Senior class, 21; Junior class, 27; Sophomore class, 24; Freshmen class, 43; Graduate students, 1.

The arrangements of rooms and facilities for recitation are probably as good as can be expected considering the limited amount of space allotted to the High School. Yet I would call attention to the fact that with 116 students enrolled and Freshmen classes becoming larger each year, some plan must be decided upon soon to secure adequate recitation and dressing room accommodations. The changes made since my predecessor's last report have been very beneficial and the wisdom of his recommendations is apparent to all. The laboratory, however, is not large enough for the large physics and chemistry divisions and the small recitation rooms, crowded every period, make the question of proper ventilation a momentous one. The girls' coat room built in above the stairs during the March vacation last year is filling a long felt want, yet even now many of the High School students are obliged to use the dressing room down stairs which is none too large for the Intermediate scholars alone. The lavatory and toilet room on

the third floor is of great convenience. New blackboards are needed in the rooms and a board should be provided in the laboratory in order that some of the required chemical experiments may be performed with safety.

Our decorations have been increased during the year by the bas-relief "Aurora" presented by the class of 1903 and by framed views of Bowdoin Campus presented by the faculty of that institution. The value of such gifts to the school can not be over estimated. The working equipment has been increased by the purchase of apparatus, including a complete steam engine, also by gifts of geological and mineralogical specimens which I would acknowledge at this time with thanks. An excellent working herbarium consisting of our common flowers collected for the most part by the class of 1904 and former Principal, W. R. Howard is of great assistance in the botany work and is being added to every year. Several pieces of physical apparatus are needed in order that the experiments recommended by the colleges for admission may be performed. The addition of a few pieces each year with the present nucleus will soon enable us to do all the laboratory work required.

Last spring several colleges iu New England including the University of Maine and Wellesley united in forming the New England Intercollegiate College Entrance Examination Board, and invited all High Schools of recognized standing to apply for admission. The placing of a school on the approved list of this Board will enable it to enter students in all the colleges of New England, Yale and Harvard excepted, without entrance examination. Belfast High School was among those making application and the Board will act on the request about May 1st, 1904. We hope to be accorded the privileges of this association and this should mean much for our school in the future. We were obliged to enlarge our course of study by the addition of solid geometery and trigonometery in the Junior year. It was thought advisable for this year at least to make this course elective for those intending to go to

college. With these exceptions the course of study remains as revised some three years ago.

Attendance during the year has not been as satisfactory as could be desired owing to the severe weather and the prevalent epidemic of colds. Vaccination caused many absences during the fall term.

The Mercury is published five times yearly by the students and is proving a success financially and from a literary standpoint. It is controlled by an editorial staff of six chosen from the entire school and a business manager elected from the Senior class. The paper is fully up to the standard set by the best school papers of the country and serves the double purpose of fostering the interest taken in the school by the towns people and bringing the school into wider notice outside of our own community.

In closing, I wish to thank Miss Field, Miss Townsend, and Miss Barr for their faithful work and hearty co-operation and yourself for your readiness to render assistance at all times. Our unanimity of purpose and the cordial snpport of the student body is responsible for whatever degree of success that has been attained during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

H. R. EATON.

REPORT OF MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

To J. R. Dunton, Supt. of Schools:

In making my annual report of the public school music I can add but little to what I have heretofore reported, as the work has progressed along practically the same lines as in previous years. The few changes made are simply in details that experience has demonstrated will give better and more lasting results.

We have accomplished the usual amount of work. The pupils are interested and the regular teachers are as zealous as ever in getting best results. Especially good work has been done in the seventh grade. We have used the supplementary readers to good advantage.

The work in the High School has been along the same lines as last year. The school again furnished the music for commencement exercises last June.

Thanking you and all who have assisted in making this branch of the school work a success, I respectfully submit this brief report.

EMMA B. PITCHER, Music Teacher.

Belfast, Me., April 1. 1904.

GRADUATING EXERCISES

OF THE CLASS '03, B. H. S.

June 12, 1903.

MOTTO:—The End Crowns The Work.

Prayer, Rev. A. A. Smith.

Salutatory, Evelyn Philbrook Morison.

Chorus,—"Pilgrims' Chorus," *Wagner.*

Essay,—"Tramps and the Railroads," Leonora Griffin Colby.

Class History, Norman Allen Read.

Vocal Solo,—"Fleeting Days," Helen Evangeline Dilworth.
Clarionet obligato by Frank Wesley Twombly.

Essay,—"Physical Training," Charles Lewis Elwell.

Clarionet Solo,—"Second Air Varie," *E. B. Thornton.*
Frank Wesley Twombly.

Essay,—"Our Transatlantic Cousins," Ethel May Wood.

Chorus,—"The Lake," *Abt.*

Class Prophecy, Albert William Stevens.

Chorus,—"The Grenadiers," *Schumann.*

Presentation of Gifts, Clair Leroy Harriman.

Essay,—"Wireless Telegraphy" and Valedictory,
Daniel Augustus Gould.

Awarding Diplomas,
Chas. S. Bickford, Chairman of the School Committee.

Class Ode, Words and Music by Frank Wesley Twombly.

Benediction, Rev. E. S. Philbrook.

CLASS ODE.

As we enter on life's duties
  Looking forward to the end,
Step by step through unseen meshes,
  Pleasures with our trials blend.
Tasks completed, studies ended,
  Memory holds the pleasures, too;
Shade and shadow, light and sunshine,
  Mingling, blending, fill our view.

As we travel on life's journey,
  May we take the memory true
Of the friendships we have formed here,
  As a token of the hue
That may color all our future
  With a light that e'er will last,
Brightened by our earnest efforts,
  Linking future with the past.

Now we're standing at the entrance
  Of life's earnest toil and care,
Better fitted for the strnggle
  Coming years to us will bear,
Day by day the labor's finished,
  Towards the goal our footsteps bend,
Finish life as in our scheol days,
  The work is crowned by the end.

FRANK WESLEY TWOMBLY.

MEMBERS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

1904-1905.

WARD.		RESIDENCE.	TERM EXPIRES.
1.	JAMES H. HOWES,	Franklin St.	1906
	ASHLEY A. SMITH,	High St.	1905
2.	CHAS. S. BICKFORD,	Cedar St.	1906
	CHAS. H. TWOMBLY,	Court St.	1905
3.	WILLIAM A. MASON,	Waldo Ave.	1906
	W. L. HALL,	Primrose Hill.	1905
4.	CHAS. T. LITTLEFIELD,	Belfast.	1906
	ELI C. MERRIAM,	Head of Tide.	1905
5.	ELISHA W. ELLIS,	East Belfast.	1906
	GEORGE E. MICHAELS,	East Belfast.	1905

Organization.

STANDING COMMITTEE.

EXAMINATION AND CERTIFICATION OF TEACHERS.
Howes, Mason and Smith.

ESTIMATES FOR APPROPRIATION AND AUDITING COMMITTEE.
Hall, Merriam and Ellis.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.
Merriam, Littlefield and Michaels.

TEXT BOOKS, APPLIANCES AND COURSE OF STUDY.
Twombly, Hall and Bickford.

L. T. SHALES, President *ex-officio*, Congress St.

CHARLES S. BICKFORD, Chairman, Cedar St.

REGULAR MEETING, last Monday of each month, at 7 P. M.

BELFAST FREE LIBRARY.

1904.

TRUSTEES.

Harry Lutz, Chairman,
Lendal T. Shales.
William C. Marshall.
Nathan F. Houston.
Ben Hazeltine.

LIBRARIAN,

Miss Elizabeth M. Pond.

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN,

Miss Annie L. Barr.

LIBRARY HOURS.

The Library is open to the public as follows:

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 2 to 5 P. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 6.30 to 8.30 P. M.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF BELFAST FREE LIBRARY.

To the Board of Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast.

The Trustees of the Library are gratified to report the continued prosperity of the institution in its financial condition and its practical efficiency. The report of the Librarian, Miss E. M. Pond, is herewith submitted. It gives a detailed account of the main facts in the administration of the Library, the accessions and its circulation.

The Trustees have faced the perplexing problem arising from the popular demand for current fiction. They have cooperated with the Librarian in seeking to supply well-selected fiction and at the same time avoid so far as practicable stocking the shelves with books of temporary value. An experiment has been tried through a subscription to the Book Lover's Library in the name of the Librarian. The books thus secured are rented, yielding a return of the price of subscription. This is a compromise measure that has succeeded to the extent it serves, furnishing current books without purchase. It is a step in the direction of the realization of what the Trustees conceive to be the proper aim of a Public Library to furnish only books of known value. It has been their policy to encourage a wise selection of books which seems the more imperative in a small library.

The shelving capacity of the Library Building is already overtaxed. Every year renders more urgent the need of an addition to the building. The trustees would again call the public attention to this need in the hope that some means may soon be found for its supply.

The financial standing of the Library is firm. Its funds amount to $52,844.36, and by the accompanying financial statement it will appear there remains a balance unexpended of $325.89, the accumulated income from the Field fund $180.-00 and a balance from the Otis fund of $49.43.

The late Hon. Joseph Williamson was associated with the Library from its founding until his death. He was tireless in his supervision and promotion of its interests. His fine public spirit and literary ability bore fruit in the production of an historical work of inestimable value to our city. In recognition of his public service and as a fitting tribute to his memory a portrait of him has been procured and will be placed in the Library Building. The portrait was painted by Mr. Ralph N. Brooke of Washington D. C., under the direction of Mr. Ralph C. Johnson who has the thanks of the Trustees for his valuable assistance.

Very respectfully,

HARRY LUTZ, Chairman.

Belfast, March 7, 1904.

Financial Statement of the Belfast Free Library for the Year ending March 7, 1904.

Dr.

Balance from income of last year . . .	$ 179 63	
Interest on investments exclusive of the Field and Otis funds	1,830 54	
Fines, cards, catalogues, fees from rental of "Book Lover's" books etc. . .	134 61	
		$ 2,144 58

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SALARIES.

Miss E. M. Pond, librarian	$ 460 20	
Miss A. L. Barr, assistant librarian . . .	199 97	
Joseph H. Darby, janitor	150 00	
		$ 810 17

BOOK ACCOUNT.

Books purchased, not including those purchased by the Otis fund . . .	$ 427 31	
Periodicals, not bound	26 00	
Current Periodicals	86 68	
Binding	99 97	
		$ 639 96
Subscription to "Book Lover's Library"	$ 10 00	
" " Literary Art Club . . .	5 00	
		$ 15 00

PRINTING ACCOUNT.

Belfast Printing Co. bill	$ 18 95	
		$ 18 95

SUPPLY ACCOUNT.

Cards, stationery, library supplies, etc. .	$ 12 48	
		$ 12 48

BUILDING ACCOUNT.

Screen	$ 1 50	
Lumber and labor covering steps . . .	8 66	
		$ 10 16

LAWN AND GROUNDS ACCOUNT.

Mowing, leveling and care of lawn, flowers, etc	$ 24 35	
		$ 24 35

EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

Coal and wood	$ 94 50	
Lighting	52 59	
Insurance	50 50	
Expressage, freight and cartage	29 15	
Postage	5 91	
Work employed by librarian	11 15	
Sundries paid by librarian	11 80	
Shoveling snow	6 00	
Sprinkling street	5 00	
Repairs on typewriter	5 15	
Hose	14 07	
Disinfectants	1 80	
		$ 287 62
		$ 1,818 69

Total income during year including balance	$2,144 58
Disbursements	1,818 69
Balance unexpended	$ 325 89

GEORGE W. FIELD FUND.

Accumulated income	$ 180 00

ALBERT BOYD OTIS FUND.

Balance from last year	$ 55 50	
Accumulated income	90 00	
		$ 145 50
Expended for books of History and Biography	$ 96 07	
		$ 96 07
Balance unexpended		$ 49 43

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

March 3, 1904.

To the Trustees of the Belfast Free Library:

Gentlemen:

The 16th annual report of our Free Library for the year ending Feb. 29, 1904 I have the honor to present.

A weak point about the numerical statement of results is that many results cannot be stated in numbers. It can never be expressed in figures, for instance, how much the increase of spiritual mindedness in a community is due to the reading of books, nor how much a boy's memory is weakened by skinning through six stories every week. Let us not exaggerate the importance of figures nor assume that the whole of a library's work can be tabulated.

BOOKS.

Number of volumes in the library at this date . . .	11,404
" " " added during the year	512
" " " recorded on the withdrawal book	45
" " " rebound	51
" " periodicals bound	82
" " volumes repaired at the library	1,735

Of the 44 books on the Withdrawal Record 5 were given to the Frankfort Library, 3 were sold, 2 were accidentally destroyed and replaced by the borrowers, 1 was lost, 1 was stolen from the Reading Room, 2 are missing which we hope to trace, and the remaining 30 were discarded because worn out. A greater number have been repaired at the Library than during any previous year.

ACCESSIONS.

By purchase from the Wilson fund	366
By purchase from the Otis fund	39
By gift	26
By binding periodicals	62
By gift of periodicals from Miss B. I. Bird	19
Total,	512

ACCESSIONS CLASSIFIED.

Fiction including Juvenile	174
Periodicals	86
Philosophy and Religion	20
Sociology	38
Natural Science	18
Arts, Fine and Useful	29
Travel and Description	35
Biography	31
History	86
	512

Among the recent additions of most interest and value are Wilson's History of the American People in 5 vol., the American History series published by Scribner in 7 vol., Harper's Encyclopædia of United States History in 10 vol., and the "Life of Our Lord Jesus Christ" illustrated by Tissot in 4 vols.

The demand for current fiction is always beyond the supply. An attempt to increase the supply by using the Book-lovers' Library has been a convenience. The ticket cost $10 and within the past ten months we have received $8.03 in return for the loan of these books at the rate of 1 cent a day.

CIRCULATION.

It has been said that a library is most at home when most

abroad. Our books have been abroad nearly 23,000 times this past year. Every teacher is invited to keep in the schoolroom as many library books as can be profitably used. Five hundred and five have been used in schools. The character of the books sent out is shown by the following table:

Fiction	13,395
Juvenile	3,018
Periodicals	2.400
General literature	845
Arts, Fine and Useful	742
History	689
Travel	509
Biography	436
Natural Science	409
Philosophy and Religion	319
Sociology	168
	22,930

Three "Home Libraries" have given pleasure to many people in distant parts of the town. Mrs. W. W. Merrill, Mrs. Leslie Miller and Miss Claire Vaughan have generously given the time and care necessary to loan library books from their homes.

CASH RECEIPTS.

Fines	$ 85 00
Book-cards sold	30 10
Books sold	9 68
Booklovers' fees	8 03
Book stand sold	1 00
Finding lists sold	75
Paper sold	05
	$ 134 61

During the past year 174 new names have been added to the register of persons holding book-cards.

The members of the Senior Class in our High School are indebted to Miss Nina F. Poor for twelve talks on the Card Catalogue and on Reference Books. She was most helpful in stimulating an interest in how to use the Library.

It is said that every town needs an art collection. If the town does not own such a treasure it is well to borrow a collection. Ten sets of pictures owned by the Library Art Club have been on exhibition during the past year. The expense has amounted to $11.80 including the membership fee of $5, and the expressage one way $6.80. These pictures have been photographs of scenery in Newfoundland and Alaska, views in the cities of Munich, York, Paris, Oxford, Rome, and English Country Churches, the Prang platinettes, and the Elson prints.

These records tell a part of the story of the Library's place in our community. Setting aside the questions of tabulation and of statistics, I realize there are broader problems to face, how to discriminate among books, how to stimulate an interest in the best books, how to help people to enjoy books, and how to be liberally minded in all relations with the public. To thsee questions I have daily given by best endeavor.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH M. POND.

Albert Boyd Otis Fund.

Books purchased during the year ending February 29, 1904, according to the conditions of Mr. Albert Crane's gift in memory of his friend, Albert Boyd Otis. Books of history and biography shall be purchased from this fund and a list shall be printed annually.

American History and Biography.

Abbott, Katherine M. Old Paths and legends of New England. 1903 . . . . . 974. Ab

Burgess, John W. The middle period, 1817-1858. (American History series.) 1902. 973. Am 4

Burgess, John W. Reconstruction and the Constitution, 1866-1876. (American History series,) 1902 . . . . . 973. Am 7

Dawson, Thomas C. The South American Republics. 1903. Vol. 1. (Story of the nations . . . . . 980. D

Harper's Encyclopædia of United States history, 158-1902. Based upon the plan of Benson John Lossing. A preface by Woodrow Wilson. 1902. 10 v . . . . . 973. H

Sloane, William M. The French war and the Revolution, 1756-1783. (American history series.) 1902 . . . . . 973. Am-2

Wilson. Woodrow. A history of the American people. 1902. 5 v . . . . . 973. W

Wise, John Sergeant. The end of an era. 1902 973.78 W

European History and Biography.

Ashton, John. Social England under the Regency. 1889 . . . . . 942.07 As

Butler, A. J., translator. Bismarck, the man and the statesman; being the reflections and reminiscences of Otto, Prince Von Bismarck, written and dictated by himself after his retirement from office. 1899. 2 v . . . . . B 3-B 5

Brandes, George. William Shakespeare; a critical study. 1899 . . . . . 822. S-80

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REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

Belfast, Me., Mch. 5, 1904.

To his Honor the Mayor and the City Council.

Gentlemen:—

I have the honor to herewith submit the annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending March 5, 1904, including the force of the Department, with a record of all alarms of fire, which have been responded to by the Department, together with the insurance paid on same, and the cause, so far as I can learn in regard to these facts, and such other matters as pertain to the Department.

PERSONAL.

Board of Engineers, I. T. Clough, E. L. Cook, W. A. Wiley.
Hose Co., No. 1, N. F. Patterson, Capt., nineteen men.
Hose Co., No. 2, Alfred Shute, Capt., fourteen men.
Hook & Ladder Co., No. 1, L. L. Robbins, Capt., fourteen men.

APPARATUS.

The apparatus consists of two hand tubs in good working order, one at the central station, and one at the Head of the Tide.

Three hose reels, one hose pung, two hook and ladder trucks, one on wheels, one on runners.

HOSE.

The Department at present has 29[illegible]0 feet of 2½ inch rubber lined cotton hose; 50[illegible] feet of 2½ inch rubber hose.

HYDRANTS AND BOXES.

There are within the limits of the City 65 hydrants for fire purposes. The Gamewell Fire Alarm Boxes nnmber 10.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

The system is working all right, being under the care of C. G. Dickey, electrician.

IMPROVEMENTS.

Three street fire boxes and 500 feet of hose has been added the last year.

RECOMMENDATION.

That more hose and fire boxes be added this year, and that the interior of the Department room be repaired.

FIRE ALARMS, 1903-1904.

March 25, 1903. Box 14, 8-20 P. M. Dwelling on Bay View St., owned by S. T. Edgecomb heirs, unoccupied, value $450.00 loss total, insurance $200.00. Incendiary.

April 25, 1903. Box 34, 1-15 P. M. Dwelling on Vine St., owned by John M. Small, occupied by T. H. Sidelinger. Value $500.00. Damaged $100.00. Caught by chimney.

June 3, 1903. Box 36, 2-15 P. M. Forest fire, burned over 500 acres, covered with valuable timber. The Department kept men in the surrounding district until the 9th. Put out by rain.

Sept. 28, 1903. Box 25, 12-30 A. M. Dwelling at Head of the Tide, owned by Mrs. G. O. Flanders. Unoccupied. Value $500.00, loss total. No insurance. Incendiary. Store owned and occupied by Edwin Mitchell. Value $1,000.00. Loss total. No insurance. Value of contents $3,100.00, damage $1,500.00. Caught from Flander's fire.

Sept. 30, 1903. Box 25, 8-15 P. M. Dwellings at Head of the Tide, owned and occupied by Mrs. Lottie Chase. Value

$1,500.00. Loss total. Insurance $1,075. Value of contents $600.00. Damage $300.00. Insurance $425 00. Dwelling of Mrs. Castoin Carter, occupied by owner and E. Morse. Value $600.00. Loss total. Insurance $250. Value of contents $400.00. Damage 200.00. No insurance. Incendary.

Oct. 30, 1903. Box 23, 1-14 P. M. Storehouse on Lewis Wharf, owned by the Lewis Wharf Co., occupied by Swan & Sibley Co., and Belfast Fuel and Hay Co. Value $4000.00. Damage $200.00. Insurance $2,200.00. Value of contents $3,900.00. Damage $300.00. Insurance $2,900.00. Spontaneous combustion.

Nov. 9, 1903. Box 25, 3-30 A. M. Store on High St., owned by Frank B. Knowlton, occupied by owner as store; Stephenson & Sargent, store; W. H. Clifford & Son, barber shop; a club room; Dr. Fowler, dwelling; and Ethel Webster, dwelling. Value of building $3,500. Damage $1,500. Insurance $1,000. Value of contents $4,300. Damage $1,995. Insurance $2,600. Cause accidental.

Dec., 1903. Box 25, 7 A. M. Call from Searsport. Sent hose and men.

Jan. 4, 1904. Box 25, 8-15 P. M. C. C. Coombs Shoe Store, in Howes Block. Damage to building $300. Insured. Value of contents $1,000. Insurance $800. Cause accidental.

Jan. 13, 1904. Box 36, 8-20 P. M. Call from Searsport, sent men.

Feb. 19. Box 25, 5-30 P. M. Chas. Woods house on Charles St., chimney burned out, no damage.

Feb. 22. Box 36, 7-45 P. M. Slight fire in the granite shed of Wood & Heal. No damage.

I wish to thank his Honor the Mayor, the City Councilmen, and the Fire Department, the Assistant Engineers for the uniform courtesy shown me during the year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

I. T. CLOUGH,

Chief Engineer.

REPORT OF THE CITY SOLICITOR.

Belfast, Me., March 7, 1904.

To The Hon. Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

I herewith submit my report as City Solicitor for the past municipal year.

At the beginning of the year there were no suits pending in which the city was interested, but there are now two, both of which may be in order for trial at the next term of the Supreme Judicial Court, viz :—David W. Dyer, Appellant, vs. Belfast, and M. C. Hill, Collector of Taxes for the year 1902 vs. Thomas Haugh.

The first named is an appeal by Mr. Dyer from the decision of the municipal officers awarding to Mr. Dyer damages to land owned by him, abutting on Front street, claimed to have been occasioned by a change of the grade of said street.

The other suit is to recover the amount of the tax assessed against Mr. Haugh for the year 1902, on the lot of land situated on the corner of Church and Main streets.

A suit has been commenced by Vinalhaven vs. the City to recover for pauper supplies furnished to an alleged pauper whose settlement is claimed to have been in this city. This suit is now pending in the S. J. Court in Knox County, the defense has been assumed by the contractor for the support of the poor, under his contract, consequently the city is not directly interested therein, I am therefore unable to report further in relation to the same, but it is not expected to require any attention from the city.

Very respectfully,

GEO. E. JOHNSON, City Solicitor.

REPORT OF THE CITY PHYSICIAN.

To The Mayor, Board of Aldermen and Common Council:

Herein is submitted the report of the City Physician for the year ending March 7, 1904.

Notwithstanding the severity of the winter or the extent to which epidemics prevailed during the past year, illness among the city's poor has not increased over last year.

At the Poor Farm there has been the usual chronic cases but the general health average has been very good.

Number of persons treated	15
" " acute cases	9
" " chronic cases	10
" " visits	16
" " visits to Poor Farm	5
" " office calls	30
" " deaths	2

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN STEVENS, M. D.,
City Physician.

Report of the Secretary of Board of Health.

To The Mayor, Board of Aldermen and Common Council:

Herein is submitted the report of the Board of Health of the work accomplished for the year ending March 7th, 1904:

The number of contagious diseases has been much greater than for several years. The several outbreaks of small-pox, diphtheria and scarlet fever seemed to have sprung from a separate focus in each instance as far as this city was concerned, and the disease was fortunately limited to those first exposed to the original contagion.

The method of disinfecting has been changed from sulphur fumigation to the more modern and effective use of formaldehyde. While the latter is somewhat more expensive it is proportionately of much greater service,

This year the Board of Health has included Tuberculosis among the diseases to be disinfected.

The extension of the sewer to Union and Bay View streets, is a matter of considerable importance to the city's health and particularly to Bay View street, which during the summer months was often in a bad sanitary condition.

The increased expense for the past year is due to the increased number of infectious diseases we have had, together with the change in our method of disinfection.

The total number of contagious diseases reported was 47, of which respectively, 2 were small pox, 4 of diphtheria, 39 of scarlet fever. Number of nuisances 12; of which 10 were corrected.

Number of visits of Health Officers, exclusive of small pox epidemic, 73.

Number of buildings disinfected, 36.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN STEVENS, M. D.,

Sec. Board of Health.

MILK INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Belfast, Me., March 3, 1904.

To The Hon. Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

Gentlemen:—

I herewith submit my report as City Milk Inspector for the past municipal year.

The milk consumed in Belfast is supplied from about five hundred and twenty-five cows. Each cow producing on an average of twelve hundred quarts of milk.

The sale of milk alone was about thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars worth.

There has been a number of changes in the milk dealers in the past year. The number now selling is thirteen.

The test for butter fat revealed out of one hundred and thirty-seven tests, fourteen were between three and three-tenths, and three and eight-tenths per cent. Twenty-seven between three and eight-tenths, and four and one-tenth. Fifty-eight between four and one-tenth and four and nine-tenths. Thirty-eight between four and nine-tenths and five and six-tenths per cent.

I have made thirty-six calls on the milkmen at their homes and made a thorough examination of their cows, cans and utensils used in handling the milk, and examined the stables as to ventillation and water supply.

There has been no contagious diseases, and the simple diseases have been treated with proper precaution as to sanitary conditions.

No evidence of adulteration of milk has been seen. A few complaints have been made to me but in every case I have been able to trace the trouble to the consumer's fault.

I find the stables as a rule kept in good shape and it appears to be the chief aim of the milk dealers to procure the best cows they can find and to furnish the best quality of milk.

As milk is the only food that is consumed to any extent in the raw state we need to use every means possible to keep it pure and clean, as it is a good medium for all kinds of disease producing germs.

I have found the milkmen very courteous, always ready to make any improvements that would tend to improve the quality of their milk.

Respectfully,

J. B. DARLING, Inspector.

REPORT OF THE CITY MARSHAL.

To The Honorable Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

I respectfully submit the following report as City Marshal for the municipal year last past, in accordance with the usual custom, to wit:—

Whole number of arrests made	20
For lodging (discharged without hearing)	7
breaking and entering	1
drunkenness	8
indecent exposure of person	1
stealing	1

FINANCIAL.

Salary of night watch and services of Sunday police,	$ 1,217 00
Salary night watch at Head of Tide	48 00
Salary collecting dog taxes	38 50
Night watch during vacation of police	38 50
Services of special police	44 00
	$ 1,386 00
Amount collected and paid into treasury	27 08
Net balance,	$ 1,358 92

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. McDONALD, City Marshal.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Hon. Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council:

Gentlemen:—

We herewith respectfully submit our report as Finance Committee for the municipal year ending March 7, 1904.

Have examined the books and accounts of the City Treasurer, and find the same are correctly stated and properly added, and vouchers have been produced to verify the charges, leaving a balance in the Treasury of the city March 7, 1904, of seven thousand one hundred ninety dollars and seventy-nine cents ($7,190.79.)

Also find deposited in the Peoples' National Bank, to the credit of the city, to pay interest coupons due Feb. 15, 1904, and those of earlier dates outstanding, ten thousand two hundred and eighty-three dollars ($10,283). We find outstanding orders on the Treasurer's books to the amount of one hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty-seven cents ($172.67).

Have made final settlement with M. C. Hill, Collector of Taxes, who has paid to the Treasurer balance in full for the taxes for the year 1902.

Have examined all orders that have been paid and the same have been properly cancelled, and have examined coupon account of city bonds, registered same on coupon book prepared for that purpose and destroyed interest coupons that bave been paid, amounting to twenty-four thousand five hundred and seventy dollars ($24,570).

Amount of interest coupons destroyed as follows:

Due Nov. 1, 1900	$ 20 00
May 1, 1901	20 00
Nov. 1, 1901	20 00

May 1, 1902	$ 60 00
Aug. 15, 1902	100 00
Nov. 1, 1902	190 00
Feb. 15, 1903	9,040 00
May 1, 1903	2.130 00
Aug. 15, 1903	9,020 00
Nov. 1, 1903	2,050 00
Memorial Hall bonds, coupons Sept. '03, Mar. '04	880 00
Registered 4s Aug. '03, Feb. '04	1,000 00
Coupons from bond No. 478 not issued, Aug. '03, Feb. '04	40 00

A. B. STANTIAL, } Finance
JOHN W. JONES, } Committee.

Report of Superintendent of Grove Cemetery.

To The Hon. Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen:—

During the past year from March 1st, 1903 to March 1st, 1904, I have attended to the disposition of ninety-five bodies and hereby submit the following report:

Whole number attended ninety-five.

Sixty-nine died in the city, twenty-seven of these were carried out of town for burial.

Twenty-six died away but were brought here for burial.

Fifty-one were buried in Grove Cemetery, three in South Belfast, two at Head of Tide, one in West Belfast and one in the North Belfast Cemetery.

There are eleven now in the tomb.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. FERNALD, Supt.

Belfast, March 5, 1904.

Report of Trustees of Cemeteries.

To The Hon. Mayor and City Council:

Gentlemen:—

We hereby submit our report as Trustees of Cemeteries for the past year.

GROVE CEMETERY.

Amount brought forward from last year . .	$ 193 07
Received from sale of lots	450 00
Received interest on perpetual care fund . .	81 00
James F. Fernald, as per bills rendered . . .	285 00
Heal & Wood, " " " " . . .	10 00
F. L. Howard, " " " " . . .	4 50
J. W. Jones, " " " " . . .	5 95
Belfast Water Co., " " " " for 1902	22 50
" " " " " " " " 1903	15 00
James F. Fernald, 5 per cent. commission on sale of lots in season of 1902	13 75

PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS.

Amount of perpetual care fund	$ 3,560 76
Accumulated interest on perpetual care fund	440 48
Amount expended on perpetual care fund . .	311 86

HEAD OF TIDE CEMETERY.

Received from sale of lots	30 00

EAST BELFAST CEMETERY.

E. O. Pendleton, as per bill rendered . . .	$ 10 00
Balance on hand	$ 387 37

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIS S. HATCH,
CHAS. F. SWIFT,
CHAS. R. COOMBS,
Trustees of Cemeteries.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

1904-1905.

CITY COUNCIL.

MAYOR:

LENDAL T. SHALES.

CITY CLERK:

Augustine P. Mansfield.

Ward 1. Freeman M. Wood. Ward 2. Charles W. Lancaster.
Ward 3. Allen B. Stantial. Ward 4. Ralph Hayford.
Ward 5. Dana Lawrence.

COMMON COUNCILMEN:

Ralph D. Southworth President.

Ward 1

Ralph D. Southworth,
John W. Jones.

Ward 3.

Herbert E. Ellis,
Augustus D. Hayes.

John S. Fernald Clerk.

Ward 2.

Laforest L. Robbins,
Marion E. Brown.

Ward 4

Fred A. Holmes.
Orrin L. Wentworth.

Ward 5.

George Innis,
Everett Nickerson.

CITY OFFICERS.

City Clerk—Augustine P. Mansfield.
City Treasurer—James Pattee.
Judge of Police Court—Ruel W. Rogers.
City Solicitor—George E. Johnson.
City Physician—John Stevens.
Road Commisioner—Levi L. Robbins.
Chief Engineer—Ira T. Clough.
City Marshal—H. E. McDonald.
Collector of Taxes—Charles H. Sargent.
Auditor—Fred D. Jones.
Harbor Master—Newton S. Lord.
Port Warden— do.
Truant Officer—Robert Waterman.
Inspector of Buildings—Sanford Howard.
Inspector of Milk—J. B. Darling.
Assistant Engineers—Eugene L. Cook, H. A. Wiley.
Superintendent of Grove Cemetery—James F. Fernald.

ASSESSORS.

Augustine P. Mansfield, Chairman	for 1 year
Alfred A. Small	for 2 years
James F. Sheldon	for 3 years

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Alfred A. Small, Chairman.
Charles E. Johnson.
Marion E. Brown.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Augustine O. Stoddard, Chairman	for 1 year
John Stevens, Health officer	for 2 years
Harry M. Prentiss	for 3 years

TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES.

Willis S. Hatch, Chairman.
Chas. F. Swift.
Chas. R. Coombs.

BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

Gilman P. Lombard, Chairman.
Elmer I. Rankin.
Jefferson F. Wilson.

CONSTABLES.

Ward 1. George W. Frisbee.
Ward 2. Levi L. Robbins.
Ward 3. Alexander D. Smalley.
Ward 4. Silas S. Beckwith.
Ward 5. Arthur J. Beach.

Policeman—George W. Frisbee and James A. Nickerson, Night Watch; Cotton W. Mears, John Dolloff, Horace B. Smalley, M. C. Murch, C. W. Follett, W. H. Clifford. Amos A. Colcord, W. J. Clifford, E. P. Michaels. True Hayford, Henry Roberts, James F. Churchill.

Surveyors of Lumber—E. S. Carter, Sanford Howard, A. T. Stevens, J. C. Durham, Augustus Clark, William K. Keen, E. I. Rankin, B. B. Greenlaw, George E. Michaels, Fred Holmes, Ralph L. Cooper, H. C. Pitcher.

Weighers of Coal and Hay—Edward Sibley, A. D. Hayes, F G. White, C. S. Bickford, N. E. Keen, A. M. Carter, Roscoe Black, E. W. Ellis, George A. Russell.

Measurers of Grain and Salt—Edward Sibley, C. S. Bickford, Augustus Clark, L. T. Shales, C. W. Follett.

Measurers of Wood and Bark—F. G. White, N. E. Keen, Fred Holmes, Charles S. Bickford, H. C. Pitcher.

Cullers of Hoops and Staves—Walter G. Hatch, F. M. Lancaster.

Fence Viewers—Emery O. Pendleton, George F. Mayhew, W. A. Monroe.

Poundkeeper—William H. Arnold.

SALARIES OF CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor	$ 150 00
City Clerk	80 00
City Treasurer	100 00
City Solicitor	30 00
City Physician	30 00
City Marshal	100 00
Assessors, for the three	400 00
Overseers of tbe Poor, for the three	60 00
Road Commissioner	600 00
Auditor	75 00
Superintendent of Schools	1,000 00
Truant Officer	60 00
Clerk of the Common Council	25 00
Night Police	500 00
Inspector of Milk	50 00
Inspector of Buildings	20 00

WARD OFFICERS.

1904-1905.

WARDENS.

Ward 1. Robert Waterman.
2. George A. Russell.
3. Albert B. Smalley.
4, Ephraim W. Wiley.
5. Fred N. Savery.

WARD CLERKS.

Ward 1. Clifford J. Pattee.
2. Walter C. Townsend.
3. James H. Perkins.
4. Willis S. Hatch.
5. Wyatt R. Carrow.

Valuation of Belfast, April 1, 1903.

Real Estate	$2,020,565
Personal Property	648 798
Total,	$2,669,363

Number of polls, 1,255.
Rate of taxation, $18.00 on $1,000.

Standing Committees of the City Council.

BELFAST, Mar. 21, 1904.

TO THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN AND COMMON COUNCIL:

GENTLEMEN:

I make the following appointments for the Standing Committees of the City Council:

FINANCE, ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS.

Alderman Stantial, Councilmen Jones and Hayes,

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Alderman Wood, Councilmen Ellis and Brown.

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Alderman Lancaster, Councilmen Holmes and Southworth.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Alderman Wood, Councilmen Brown and Robbins.

SIDEWALKS.

Alderman Stantial, Councilmen Holmes and Southworth.

CEMETERIES.

Alderman Hayford, Councilmen Wentworth and Nickerson.

BY-LAWS AND POLICE REGULATIONS.

Alderman Lawrence, Councilmen Jones and Ellis.

ENROLLED ORDINANCES.

Alderman Hayford, Councilmen Innis and Robbins.

LIGHTS.

Alderman Lawrence, Councilmen Hayes and Nickerson.

SEWERS.

Alderman Lancaster, Councilmen Innis and Wentworth.

STATE PENSIONS.

Aldermen Wood, Lancaster and Stantial.

LENDAL T. SHALES, Mayor.

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